

## Re: Processing and disposal of Midnite Mine Water Treatment Plant material in the Denison Mines White Mesa Mill Facility

Terry Brown to: Toby Wright

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Hi Toby - Thanks for your request for an CERCLA Off-Site Rule (OSR) determination for the White Mesa Uranium Mill. I have sent an inquiry to the Utah DRC to obtain compliance and ground release information regarding the White Mesa Mill. EPA will use this information to verify that the facility continues to be acceptable. Thanks.

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Toby Wright Dear Mr. Brown; As we have previously discuss... 12/02/2010 03:05:59 PM

From: Toby Wright <wrightenv@gmail.com>
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White Mesa Mill Facility

## Dear Mr. Brown;

As we have previously discussed, Dawn Mining Company (DMC) is updating the Residuals Management Plan for the Midnite Mine Water Treatment Plant as part of the required actions at this CERCLA site (U.S. EPA Docket No. CERCLA-10-2009-0026). This updated plan proposes to transport the Midnite Mine Water Treatment Plant solids to Denison Mines (USA) Corp. (Denison) White Mesa Mill in Blanding, Utah, to be processed for its source material content. Pursuant to this proposal and in compliance with the Off-Site rule requirements identified in 40 CFR Part 300.440(a)(4), I am requesting that EPA confirm that the Denison White Mesa Mill currently remains acceptable for the treatment, storage or disposal of CERCLA waste. Though DMC does not yet have approval for transport of these materials to the Denison facility nor would they initiate shipment before April 2011, we wish to include in the updated plan documentation that the facility currently meets the referenced acceptability requirements.

Your assistance with this request is greatly appreciated. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions regarding this request.

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